



**Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation**

**NOTICE OF CHANGE TO  
DEPARTMENT OPERATIONS MANUAL**

**Chapter 5, Article 7  
Inmate Deaths, Serious  
Injury or Illness Notification**

**Transmittal**

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The purpose of this document is to provide the Department Operations Manual (DOM) holders with information regarding revisions to Chapter 5, Article 7 regarding Inmate Deaths, Serious Injury or Illness Notification. Specific modifications were made to delete and/or correct outdated language in the article which includes the incorporation of legacy Administrative Bulletin 94/4, dated March 7, 1994. Additionally, language was added at the request of the Receiver's office detailing the procedure regarding death reporting and review as part of the Plata policies and procedures. These changes were prepared by the Regulation and Policy Management Branch (RPMB) in coordination with Classification Services Unit (CSU).

Please inform all persons concerned of the contents of this notice, which shall be maintained and the information contained in this document utilized until it is incorporated into the next updated DOM.

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